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Where it Will Take the Testimony of

Capt. Sigsbee Favors an Independent

Neither the Officers of the Court of Inquiry Nor the Witnesses Will Give the Slightest Indication of the Testimony or

found in the 18-duch magazine on the harbor of Havana contains a system of have steam up and could go anywhere moral and international right to make starboard side forward, the conviction sub-marine mines, a statement around if ordered."

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cial matters though some think it af-cial matters though some think it af-fects only matters connected with the

on of the interior of the ship shows further probability of the wreck hav-The further the investigation pro-

may be summed up, when this dispatch was sent Wednesday afternoon, ment address to show accidental said about their work."

Lapt. Sigsbee was on boa The divers having discovered cases will be based on the claim that a fire moved removal of the war ships to until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. He

grows that this magazine did not blow which has centered the chief public. He was asked if anything had hap-us. If this be so, and many have in-interest in connection with the disas-pened to justify the statement that the

INFAINE WILLS

avoing been in hospitals here and exposed to fever, must be taken to hospitals in the Tortugas for quarantine. The names of the wounded on the Bache members of the court of inquiry, arrived from Havana at 7 o'clock Sunday morning. The court resumed its seasons in the United States district.

Is Slowly Settling Into

In Slowly Set

Washington Feb 25.—The Evening Licut Commander Potter came ashore Star has received the following cable. and arranged preliminary details for Officers and men of the Maine were

that the explosion came from under- and had been removed in consequence. On his arrival he held forth at consid-Some of the smaller magazines may erable length before a street corner of the divers' work will be laid before have exploded. The main ten-inch audience and but little credence could then magazine did not explode. The condi- to given to his numerous statements. Rr. Adm. Sicard has bad frequent con-

ferences with Capt. Sampson and other

hotel. He said Sunday night: "I think the wrecking people or others, and is greases the more untenable becomes they ought to get away on Wednesday. cause. It is evident the Spanish cause In reply to a question as to the ru-

and Jeremiah Shea, of Haverbill, Mass. | court room in the Federal building at | is awaited with extreme interest. It No bodies were recovered Thursday 10 o'clock Monday morning and will is possible that the arrival of the war-from the wreck. Recent orders from probably return to Havana on Wed-ship may be made the occasion for 6 The Gourt of Inquiry Goes to

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Star has received the following cablegram from Mr. Charles M. Pepper, its
staff correspondent in Caba:

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important results. From examination
of the interior weekings they have secured evidence which seems conclusive

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HAVANA, March L.-Little work was one Monday by the divers from the tug Right Arm. Capt. McGee, who is members of the court of inquiry at the | in charge, seems to lack authority from indisposed to work on his own judg-Capt. Sigsbee was on board the

an independent examination, and he

ing well. Owing to the American the Bache for Key West. The physi-quarantine regulations, the wounded, class consider it safe to move them from the navy department and the

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il, three of them being successful-

ott case, the senate began the cothe Alaska homestend and railway

of the whole, where there is no record of vote, knocked out a provision in bill for an appropriation to pay see who furnish the government with

oribation leading to the conviction of the vio ers of the internal revenue laws and Monday manded a very respectable major. be committee but when the members vo all calls in the house both of them were rwhelmingly defeated. Several minor bills-reased, after the sunday civil bill was posed of.

Wealthy Farmer Dead. LASGOW, Ky., March 1.-Hardon iston, aged 79, a wealthy farmer, d at his home, seven miles from

vn, Sunday night. He was the her of H. F. Ralston, vice president the First national bank, and himf a heavy stockholder in the bank. Ordered to Get Ready. MARYSVILLE, O., March 1 .- Capt. (

Sellers, of the Curry cadets, Comby D. Fourteenth regiment, O. N. (received orders to have the cool utensils in readiness and his com by ready to leave here on a mo nt's notice.

Eight Men Frozen to Death. EATTLE, Wash., Feb. 56. - The steam Noyo, which arrived here from iska Friday, brings a report that the itish flag has been planted at Sumlake, 14 miles inside of the Amerboundary line and 12 miles from assets, \$10,000. aguay. It is also reported that eight on have been frozen to death on the

Colored Veterans Form a Company. Ants, Ky., Feb. 26.-Colored veterhere are very much exercised over prospect of a war with Spain, and mpany has been organized and a children.

asking the Kentucky congressmen to urge an appropriation to lock and dam Salt river, in this state. Mr. Lay also offered a resolu-tion providing for afternoon sensions of the senate four days in the week, but it was cut tal order. Senator Elmore said the school book bill had been matured by frequent committee meetings and comparisons with other states, and that he thought it would accom-plish the proposed object it, e., to secure chapter books for Kentucky children. The

hill was discussed until adjournment hour HOUSE. The newse passed the bill to abolish Mahany (N. Y) made an attack on the patricultural commissioner were discussed to the social leaders of New X tork, whom he aid their high rever while the patricular was bound down with grief over the so of life resching from the Maine explosion. Washing two free to the sonate's spain Thursday was the specific of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry on the manufactured goods. He claims that before the defendants combined of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry on the Manufactured goods. He claims that before the defendants combined of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry on the only one reconstitutional committee was the one proposed are the one proposed at length, but the only one restriction of the defendants, who compose the Manufacturers and Buyers' association, which controls the trade in leaf and manufactured goods. He claims that before the defendants combined of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry on the Manufactured goods. He claims that before the defendants combined of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) on the right of Henry on the Manufactured goods. He claims that before the defendants of the foundants, who composed the Manufactured goods. He claims that before the defendants of the foundants of the sentence of the sentence of the sentence of the sentence of the foundants of th removal question some warm words were in-

was made to obtain consideration of the Alaskian home stead and right of way bill, but on a parliamet tary technicality it went ever. The resolution offered yesterday by Mr. Alien (Neh.) to app-lid a committee of five senators to investigate the Cuban situation was withdrawn by its author when it was laid before the senator.

detect arsenal. Hr. Gillett explained that neces-sits for using this machinery might occur at the Goebel election bill, presented 50 or 75 new bills on all serts of foolish subjects, such as "an act to regulate the wetther etc." This con-sumed much time and it was stier it o'clock corps of the fibry were also adopted. One of them will fill a vacancy caused by the death of Lier Morrish of the Mains.

Mr. Cooke moved that an afternoon session be bed. The republicans and opponents of the decision bill voted no. but the motion carbinate frid by a vote of 51 years to 45 nags. and it was regarded as a test vote on the election bill. Mr. Tracy moved that the vote by which the dier research Little business of importance was transacted Friday.

BRADLEY'S VETO

Will Fut a Quietas on the Raitroad Freight Rate bill.

Frankfort, Ky. Fub. 28.—The Meclier porcell Little business of importance was transacted Friday.

tate of Overron was under discursion, and on the content of custodian of public buildings and putting all proved the admission of the Corbert, the present statehouse porters under his cs. Furaker, Kyle and Mantie sup-corporate claim. The vote on the about the presenting the abolishment of about of the court of appeals and arsenat in m. charge was passed by the senate with an ville, 86; Daniel Marlow, Lot, 86; Wm. the latter was attempting to draw a

defeated the bill to amend the landlord and tenant law so that only five days notice to vacate would be required, instead of 30 days, as now required. The bill to change the Third now required. The bill to change the Third appoilize district was practically defeated by refusing to allow it to be reported by the committee con statutes. It can hardly be rushed through now in time to be passed over the governors veto. The Goebel election bill and the Eighth district gerrymander bill were read and compared as encolled; the Trimbje bill to require all rail-read communics in the state to require all road companies in the state to permit the green to state appropriation for Hoston harbor to seem along the appropriation for Hoston harbor to see to seem along their right of war jutant general to inform the legislature as time of of holding courts in the Twenty-fourth judicial district was passed.

Has a Six-Ton Steamer Constructed and

Starts for the Kloudike. Kosomo, Ind., March 1. - Omer Maris, proper ation bill Monday after four days de-de. The most important action was the mination of the appropriation for our repre-der. On Friday last the house, in commit-der. On Friday last the house, in commit-Maris has had constructed a six-tonsteamer in which the party will sall from the Pacific coast, the launch being shipped to San Francisco by rail. Harry Sherwin, son of Postmaster Sherwin. f Russiaville, accompanied Mr. Maris. This is the third trip to Alaska for Mr. Maris. While there last year as correspondent for the Chicago Record he time to work it.

> Health Broken in Prison. AKRON, On March 1. - Evan J. West, the well known politician, who has bill passed by this legislature which been a prisener in the county jall has so far become a law is the bill alfor several months, has been released lowing convicts to testify in civil cases, from custody. His health is reined and his life was despaired of last week. code. It was introduced by represen-He was charged with baving issued tative Tracy, of Covington, and was tion of those who would like to see me

A Duct Possible. FRANKFORT, Ky., March 1. - Friends no longer deny that they have fears legislative session.

A Fallure at Lorain LORAIN, O., March 1.—An assignment was made here Monday by T. V. Wright, a well-known grocer, to Henry Wright, for the benefit of his creders. Liabilities are placed at \$10,000;

His Injuries Were Faral. NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., March 1 .-Michael Englohart, who sustained ser ous parts of the body. ions injuries while moving a big tree in this city Saturday, died Sunday

STATE ODDS AND ENDS.

Called on to Appropriately Recognize Their Navat Namesake. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 28.—Gov. Bradley received official information Sunday that the battleship Kentucky would be launched March 24, and accordingly issued the following procla- Shipp and Lloyd Horton, brothers-in-

the great bathleship Kentucky will be feud of long standing between the launched at Newport News on the 24th of March next, at 10 o'clock a.m., the not been equaled in this section. Wed-

above, expects that as many Ken-

dinner service for the new ship. TOBACCO COMBINE. W. B. Tate Files a Suit for \$125,000 Dam Ages at Louisville,
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 26.-W. B.
Tate filed suit Friday afternoon for

& Myers, P. J. Sorg & Co., and the Harry Weissinger Tobacco Co. The plaintiff claims he was compelled to close his tobacco warehouse in this city because of a boycott of the re- defendants, who compose the Manu- a tree.

TOBACCO ACREAGE

Will Be Increased in Kentucky Despite Efforts to Curiall the Crop. Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 24.—All efforts to induce the farmers of the dark tobacco belt to reduce the acreage this year have falled, and the planters An Attempt to Force Its Passage in the throughout Christian and adjoining counties in Kentucky and Tennessee are now busy making preparations for the largest erop in many years. This will still further reduce the price of tempt to abandon the regular order of tobacco, which is low already, it is

last year reached 20,000 hogsheads, measure. On a test vote 51 of the 100 worth about \$1,500,000. Tobacco men members voted against the measures. now predict that this year the sales will reach 30,000 hogsheads.

BRADLEY'S VETO

inted from the first that it is, the further convertion is forecast that the outsides on the port to the outside on the outside on the outside on the outside of the

Cumberland, 810; Wm. Noland, Louis- cause at the time he struck Hawkins Vonover, Owensboro, St. Restora- pistol. tion and Increase-Charles Redge, Ludlow, 88 to \$12. Original Widows, Etc. Sophronia Goodman, Meeting Creek,

Mail Held Pending a Decision. LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 28,-The mail of the defunct Bluegrass Building and the New York Sun, asking that their Loan association is being held by Post- names be enrolled on the first company master McChesney pending Judge Barr's decision as to whether it shall be turned over to President J. W. Porter, representing the new board of directors, or to Bishop Clay, who was made assignce by the old board.

Still Draw Their Salaries. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 24 .- At the beginning of the legislative session one of the favorite ideas of many members cases are reported in the mining was to abolish the office of commonwealth's attorney. A bill with this in | ginia and custern Kentucky. view was introduced some time ago, but it has been killed. The commonwealth's attorneys will continue to draw their salaries.

Child Burned to Death. HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 28.-Edna Randolph, the six-year-old daughter Judge Tarvin. A decision is not exof John Randolph, residing near this city, was burned to death, her clothing having eaught fire from an open stove, near which she was playing. She lived but a few minutes. In places the flesh peeled from the bones.

Appointed to a Cadetship, VERSAILLES. Ky., Feb. 28.—Walter Smith, of this city, has been appointed secured a rich claim and he goes this to a cadetship at Annapolis by Con-

> First Bill to Become a Law. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 24,-The first and making other changes in the civil

morning no longer deny that they have fears FRANKFORE, Ky. Feb. 28.—By the Asher, a farmer of Clay county. red a duel between Col. Jack Chinn and decisive majority of 15 the Goebel ports that Arch Baker shot and killed Senator ligonston, of Lexington. Their election ball was passed through the quarrels date back since carly in this house Saturday, after a long and ex- county. Whisky was the cause. Baker cities necession.

> Indications of Foul Play. WILLIAMSBURG, Ky., Feb. 26.-Wm. Ellison, an old settler and one of Whitley's most prominent citizens, started day morning his body was found in a differs in the county. His death is acdeep ravine. Indications are that there | tributed to heart disease. has been foul they. It is said that there were several contusions on vari-

To Abolish the Board of Equalization. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 25. - The morning. He was 65 years old and house Thursday passed the bill abolleaves a large family of grown up ishing the state board of equalization by a big majority.

KENTUCKIANS DESPERATE DUEL

One Dead and the Other Dying, the Result of a Fight Between Brothers-in-Law in

Taylor County. CAMPBELLSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 24. - One dead and the other dying is the resul; of a desperate duel between Robert mation law, in Taylor county, near this place, "Having been definitely notified that Wednesday. The duel grew cut of a

people of Kentucky are now requested to show by their patriotic action on that they are not assimpled and the compliment bestowed on them and the state.

"WILLIAM O. BEADLEY."

"Governor of Kentucky."

"Governor of Kentucky."

Hotton shouse. Horton was standing outside and Shipp made some remark. Borton told him he wasted with him what to get away free him, whereupon Shipp drew his pistof and fired, the ball entering just to the "Governor of Kentucky." | and fired, the ball entering just to the right of Horton's navel. Horton then drew his pistol and fired. Shipp feil tuckians as possible should attend the and instantly expired, but Horton conlaunching and also to contribute tinued to fire until the contents of his toward purchasing a silver tea and revolver were emptied into Shipp's body. Horton called his wife to assist him into the house, saying that he was killed. At 9 p. m. he is dying.

Both men leave large families. COLORED MAN MOBBED.

Richard Allen Dragged From Jall and Hanged to a Tree in the Courthouse Yard at Mayfield, Ky.

MAYFIELD, Ky., Feb. 24.-A mob of about 300 or 400 citizens of Mayfield and Graves county gathered from different points in the outskirts of the city and dragged Richard Allen, colored, out of the jail and carried him to the courthouse yard and swung him to

Allen was arrested several days ago for burglary and it was for this crime that he was strung up. He was a member of a gang who are responsible for wholesale robberies in this vicinity, Summary justice will be meted out to the others if captured.

The citizens of the town greatly deplore the act but it seems to be the only remedy with which to stop the burglaries

ELECTION BILL.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 26.- At the afternoon session of the house an atbusiness and force the passage of the Goeble election or "force" bill resulted The sales in the Hopkinsville market in the loss of two of the friends of the Its enemics do not believe they can prevent its passage many days longer but they believe it is killed or can be expiration of the session before it can

be passed over a veto and put into ef-

Offer Services, to Government. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 25. - Gov. Brady Thursday received letters from Francis B. Douglass, a lawyer of Danville, and Robert W. Wooldy, formerly of Lexington, but now connected with of volunteers organized in this state in the event of war with Spain.

Smalipox Epidemic. Mindalesmono, Ky., Feb. 25. - Thirteen new cases of smallpox developed Thursday. Disease seems to be beyond the control of the local health board. The assistance of the government will be invoked. Three hundred regions of east Tennessee, south Vir-

Argument in the Contempt Case. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 26.-The Covngton contempt cases were argued in the court of appeals by Judge O'Hara and Charles II. Fiske for the council men and Judge Charles J. Helm for pected for several days.

Sunday Bill Defeated. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 26.—The bill

to prohibit Sunday baseball playing except in cities of first and second class was defeated in the house Friday. New Postmaster at Mayfield, Ky. WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. - The president

Feiday sent the name of W. S. Mason to the senate to be postmaster at Mayfield, Ky.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 25.—Maj. P. P. Johrston, when asked what founda-tion there is for the report that he would abandon his race for governor, said: "The talk about my getting out of the race for governor is an inven-

false orders on the county treasurer. approved by the governor Wednesday out. I am in the race." Murder in Clay County. PINEVILLE, Ky., Feb. 26,-Timothy Amos Beleher on Red Bird creek, Clay

> fled and has not been arrested. Dropped Dead of Heart Disease. Bandstown, Ky., Feb. 28.-A. P. Thompson, a prominent citizen of this county, dropped dead at his home in hunting, and when he failed to return Fairfield. He was for a number of at night, search was instituted. Fris years magistrate, and has held oth r

> > Cigarette Bitt Passed. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 25.-The house at its afternoon session passed the Watkins eigarette bill, which problisits the smoking, sale, barter or loan of cigarettes in this state and fixes a penalty for having any eigarette material

mentioned to the state of the said

the Mud.

the Survivors of the Disaster.

Examination by Spanish Divers.

the Conclusions Formed Fram It. HAVANA, Feb. 24 (via Key West: - ling been due to outside force. The situation, which may be changed at any moment by fresh discoveries.

substantially as follows: of brown bexagonal powder for the preceded the explosion. | Cuba, Adm. Sicard said: The fleet is waited for the Spanish divers, but they it-inch guns unexploded, and believ. Washington, Feb. 26.—In view of now moving and I know nothing about did not appear. 16-inch guns unexploded and believe Washington. Figh. 26.—In view of now moving and I know nothing about did not appear, ing also that other unexploded will be the widely published report that the it going to Cuba. Still you know I Capt. Sigsboa thinks Spain has a moved and international right to make

THE WRECK OF THE MAINE-FROM A PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN THE MORNING AFTER THE EXPLOSION.

The main deck between the forward and after magazines to blown upward and to the starboard. smokestack is thrown back and to the starbuard. The whole week has a list to part. The main deck just above the forward magnetor is little wrecked. An explosion of the magnetor would have torn It to stone. Men who were within a few yards of the forward magneter survived. Had that magazine blows up so trace of them would ever have been found. If is claimed that the picture indicates that the Maine was destroyed by a submarine mine After annuage to to view salip's rail to six feet under water; superstructure twisted and thrown afts braned expersionaines thrown 200 feet from the ship forward; smokestack lying down.

render of Havana, giving 24 hours for short of ammunition and have never | countered this obstacle. been tried. If Gen. Blanco should decline to surrender, the Spanish mer- have it removed is not yet apparent. cent. of the property and pay 75 per Malke is slowly but surely sinking into cent of the taxes of the island, would the mid. Defore the hull could be

juntor partners. "It is well to look these things in the pitifully small. The cloudy weaththe Americana to restrain themselves, the divers unsatisfactory Friday until there is some proof of an outside, and very little was done. It is agency of explosion. We can afford to said that a hole has been made wait a little longer, seeing that we by the divers in one of the forward have waited so long. We could not hatches, and it is hoped that a number walt after it had once been proven of bodies will be recovered. The court tout the Maine disaster was the result of inquiry sat longer than usual Friof a dastardly plot. Spanish officers day, the six divers being examined from the old country hold to the unactimore in detail than heretofore. The constable bejief that their arms would | time of the departure of the Mangrove overcome us in a few weeks, but the with the court for Key West has not Cultan merchants have no such delu- been determined. Capt. Sampson said sion, and they would control the situ- Friday that it was doubtful whether ation. Hence I believe that no shot his vessel would sail Saturday; that from a big American gun would be thedepended on the developments of

the Spanish shall be obtained.

quiry held its usual sessions Thurs- of the occurrence. Chaplain Chidwick was examined as doing well Friday. both of whom witnessed the explosion.

"If Adm. Sleard demanded the suryears after burial.

The prohibition had its origin in the long or drawing positive conclusions, are answered as soon as possible if the

cants here who represent 50 per "Havasa Ph. 36 - The wreck of the compel him to accede to Adm. Steard's raised it would be necessary to remove terms. As for volunteers, the men are, the guns and deck debris. For lack of for the most part, the employes of proper appliances practically nothing in this line has been accomplished. Teers are largely their sons or their Aside from the officers and cabin ef-

necessary."

Havisa, Feb. 24.—The wrecking vessel Hight Arm arrived here Wednesday morning, with Capt Magee in command. The board of impury boarded her, and the work of raising boarded her, and the work of raising the first hoped to get away to Key West late Friday evening or early Satall testimony. the Maine's big guns began at noon. West late Friday evening or early Sat-Thus far the work of the divers has urday morning, but they are not sure been inside the sunken ship. An ex- which it will be. It is probable that amination of the outside of the hull the testimony of the civilian witnesses powder which was not likely to have will be made at once if the permit of did not add to the courts knowledge of Consul the circumstances attending the ex- been an internal one. Much of the General Lee is here, and says that he plosion, of the causes of which these evidence leads to support the belief never once thought of leaving Havana. witnesses could know nothing, as they of an explosion produced by a sab-

Capt. Sampson reports that The wounded were reported to be bring out facts bearing on the point to his personal experiences at the time | The Merritt & Chapman Derrick and tive, but it is strong enough to of the disaster to the Maine, and that Wrecking company's tug, Right Arm, make the theory of an secident a the testimony was taken of the captain is again at work removing such parts growing improbability. of a Stanish tark in the harbor and of the wreck as it is possible to handle huller plates can be examined no conthe superintendent of the West Indian in advance of the arrival of the strongs clusive opinion can be forme !. oil works, across the bay at Regia, er tugs and derricks from the north. Mr. Rolf, the British engineer of the bodies of the crew were recovered son and his associates are aware of the floating dock in the harbor, wrote a from the wreck by the divers at noon impatience with which the result of letter to the court, but did not add Friday. The bodies were frightfully the inquiry is awaited in the United due to arrive any day.

sachusatts and the New York outside of such a thing an insuit to Spain."

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The naval board shifts its inquiry to upper wreckage, smokestacks, decks, the city could not exist a fortnight, they can not have their boiles brought Key West temporarily. While it is guns, hatches, bridges, cranes and Cuba is a waste of ashes and desolate to this country in cases where they holding sessions there the work of the grainings. Then, if not before, all the tion. Even the hotels and outes here have already been interred. This is divers will go forward and something dead can be removed. in Havana live from hand to month on due to the fact that the Spanish laws may be done toward raising portions

the removal of the women and chil- fear of infection from contagious dis- from their labors. Nevertheless, dren, surrender would follow. The cales, Some applications have alforts are did structures and could be reade teen made to have bodies demolished by a six pounder. Such brought to the United States by prince we guns as have been mounted are eate individuals and they have en-Whether an effort will be made to

fects the salvage thus far has been

anything material to what was known. burned and mangled, and it may be States, but their labors are too momen-HAYASA, Feb. 25. - The coast survey impossible to ever identify some of tous in consequence to be hurried.

supplies brought from the United forbid the exhausation of corpses until of the wreck of the Maine. Members letters in great numbers. All the



HOW A STRMARINE MINE IS PLACED AND and says he feels now like a new man.

OPERATED. remained powder if the explosion had HAVANA, Feb. 25.—The court of in-were quite a distance away at the time marine mine. The inquiries of the piry held its usual sessions Thurs-of the occurrence. The proof is acither final nor may be determined by the time the Marrowstone and Admiralty are being HAVANA, Feb. 26. -Twenty unknown | board returns to Havana. Capt. Samp-

Capt. Signbee continues to receive the expiration of the period of five of the board discourage laying too queries about the men who lost their

> there is anything to be told. One of the saddest letters received 20 par by Capt. Sigsbee was from the brother a dead man, who wrote that when death was claiming the victim his friends at home were celebrating his land birthday and wishing him many happy

priest and an officer. He is always heerful and is doing the most effective work possible. Only one body was recovered Monlay and it has not yet been identified, though there are hopes that it may be later. With any others recovered in time it will go with the wounded on the Bache to the Dry Tortugas and Key West. On her pext trip north the Bache will carry to Key West the first

company of wounded taken to the Dry The Spanish divers did not make heir examination Monday. Capt. Sigsbee expected them, and probably will be advised Monday night as to when they will begin their investigation. He was much gratified at recovering Monday in good condition his insignia of the Order of the Real Eagle (Prussian) and the gold medal presented to him by the international fisheries exhibition in London in 1883. Lieut, Commander Wainwright, the executive officer of the Maine who was

almost worn out with constant work

on the wreck, had a good rest Sanday

Capt. Sigsbee reports that the work of

they are doing the best they can.

FORTIFYING In the Vicinity of Part Tawason !, Wash --PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., March L. The work of fortifying the three con spienous points contiguous to Port Townsend, which has been going on in a desultory fashion for some mouths, ders from Secretary Alger and now the double forces at work at Points worked night and day to finish up, and already preparations are being made for placing the heavy guns which are

Col. Matthew C. Galloway, founder steamer, A. D. Bache, after many de- them. Holzer, who made such a brave | Kry West, Fla., March 1.-All the of the Memphis Avalanche and afterlay., left for Dry Tortugas Thursday fight, died in the hospital Friday. All Maine's dead that remain unburied ward editor of the Appeal, died Monafternoon with three wounded, all do the wounded will leave here Sunday on will be laid to rest in Key West, day night in his 78th year.

cellent opportunity to measure the feeling of the Spanish classes. The authorities are disquieted over the prospect of riotous proceedings before the Vizcaya's arrival.

Officers and men of the Maine were examined Monday. The members of the board of inquiry, after taking test to report at any time by till or the board of inquiry, after taking test in the board of inquiry, after taking test in the board of inquiry, after taking test immony of these men, will return to Havana to complete their work.

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WASHINGTON, Yeb. 28.-RENATE - Wednes- off by the school book bill, which was a spec-

e diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, sharp debate on the Cuban situation was pre-pliated by Mr. Alien (Neb.), who offered us amendment the resolution passed te a year ago recognizing it rights of the Cuban e cetate became general and four hours. Mr. Hale made was general legislation and had under the was no place in the bill. The vice president setained the print and Mr. Aften took an ap-cal from the calling. Appeal not sustained Mouse. A spirity of subjects occupied the whole again to consider the proposed consti-tional of he house during the consideration of the surery civil appropriation hill. Mr. referendams and abelianment of agri-Mahany (N. Y.) made an attack on the patricultural commissioner were discussed

over of seating Mr. Corbett and had not con-dulged in between Representatives Tracy, uded when the senate adjourned. An effort Covington, and Trimble, of Franklin county.

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House—The brise devoted itself strictly to business Thurs—by and disposed of 20 addition at pages of the shady civil appropriation bill. The fact that the government is preparing for contingencies ras recognized in the house Thursday when Chairman Cannon, who has been co-operating with the opposition, changed over and gave it the required number of votes. The bill makes the country, instead of the precinct, the unit in local option elections, thus allowing the country vote, where to be inhoring to keep down appropriations, accepted without a word of protest an amendment to be passe the appropriation to care for the undeed mental and the spring-fleted arsenal Rr. Gillett explained that necessition for the purpose of detaying action on worth all

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Chaplain Chidwick has been com-mended by Capt Sigsbee as a man, a

by Morgan (Ala.). After disposing of Hot of The house passed the sundry civil

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